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**Re: AB 939 (Frazier, Arambula, Burke, Cooper, Daly, Grayson, Ramos, and Salas) – California Environmental Protection Agency: regulations.**

**Position: Support**

Dear Assembly Members Frazier, Arambula, Burke, Cooper, Daly, Grayson, Ramos, and Salas:

We the undersigned are writing to **SUPPORT** AB 939. This bill would require the California Environmental Protection Agency and any department, board, commission, or office within the California Environmental Protection Agency to provide to the public, not later than 72 hours prior to involvement of the public through hearings, workshops or any other proceedings, all material and presentations relevant to the process regarding complex proposals described above.

AB 939 seeks to increase transparency by allowing all regulatory stakeholders to more fully participate in the public process that has become increasingly complex due to the highly technical nature of environmental policy. The public's ability to actively participate as opposed to simply reacting to materials, presentations, and background will more fully inform the public discourse at the regulatory bodies. This bill would not cost taxpayers any new money, the existing budget would cover costs as this bill simply addresses timing of the release of documents currently being prepared.

For these reasons above we **SUPPORT AB 939**.

cc: Assembly Accountability and Administrative Review Committee  
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